IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Akihiro Suzuki

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For: METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A DRAWN BIODEGRADABLE MICRO-

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT D

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is supplemental to the response filed on July 8, 2011. Favorable consideration is respectfully requested in view of the following Remarks.

Amendment

Please amend the application as follows: